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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION 00000097 09912444

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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HYPERPOLARIZABLE ORGANIC CHROMOPHORES

## TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS OF PATENT APPLICATION/ REQUEST FOR RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT/ REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

February 28, 2002

#### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

- Transmitted herewith are the following: A.
- 1. An executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 2. An Assignment of the invention to University of Washington. A Recordation Form Cover Sheet prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 is attached to the Assignment, along with a separate check for the recordation fee. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.
- 3. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.
- 4. The following additional documents: Substitute Formal Drawings; Preliminary X Amendment
- 5. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.

#### COMPUTATION OF FEE

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	Filed		Extra		Rate		
Basic Fee							370
Total Claims	56 - 20	=	36	x	9	=	324
Independent Claims	9 - 3	=	6	x	42	=	252
Surcharge				+	65		65
Extension of Time	_			+	720		720
	TOTAL						\$1731

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## B. Request for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated August 31, 2001, set to expire on October 31, 2001, be extended by 4 months, to expire on February 28, 2002. The enclosed check includes the 4-month extension fee of \$720.00.

### C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 124010 in the amount of \$1731.00 to cover the requisite fees.

## D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA,22202, on the below date.

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